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The above-identified application was filed on October 10, 2001. However, since then applicant has not received any Official Action from the Patent Office regarding the application. It is noted that a PTO status reply dated June 14, 2004, indicated that the application will be examined in 2 to 5 months. To date, no PTO correspondence has been received and inquiry is made as to when an Action will be forthcoming.

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